
DECEMBER 27, 1822.

Read twice, and committed to a Committee of the whole House
to-morrow.

A BILL

*Supplementary to the acts to provide for certain persons engaged
in the Land and Naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War.*

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That*
3 the Secretary of War be authorized, and he is hereby au-
4 thorized and required, to restore, to the list of pensioners, the
5 name of any person who may have been, or hereafter shall
6 be, stricken therefrom, in pursuance of the act of Congress,
7 passed the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and
8 twenty, entitled "An act in addition to an act, entitled 'An
9 act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and
10 naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War,"
11 passed the eighteenth day of March, one thousand eight hun-
12 dred and eighteen, if such person, so stricken from the list of
13 pensioners, has heretofore furnished, or hereafter shall fur-
14 nish, evidence, in pursuance of the provisions of said act, to
15 satisfy the Secretary of War, that he is in such indigent cir-

16 cumstances, as to be unable to support himself without the
17 assistance of his country.

1 SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That, when any per-
2 son, coming within the provisions of the acts to which this is
3 supplementary, shall, by reason of bodily infirmity, be unable
4 to attend in court to make his schedule, and furnish the evi-
5 dence, by said acts required, it shall be lawful for any judge
6 or justice of a court of record, in the district, city, county, or
7 borough, in which such person resides, to attend at his place
8 of abode, and receive his schedule, and oath or affirmation:
9 and said judge or justice shall certify that said applicant was,
10 from bodily infirmity, unable to attend such court, which
11 schedule, and oath or affirmation, and certificate, shall, by
12 said judge or justice, be produced in the court of which he is
13 judge; and the opinion of said court, of the value of the pro-
14 perty contained in said schedule, shall be entered thereon,
15 and certified by the clerk of said court; and such schedule
16 shall be valid for all the purposes contemplated by the acts
17 aforesaid.

1 SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That pensions, granted
2 upon other and different schedules, than those heretofore ex-
3 hibited by the same applicants, shall commence from the
4 time such schedules shall be filed in court: *Provided,* That
5 no pension, under this act, shall commence before the passage
6 thereof.